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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: ESTC, COCOM
SUBJECT: GERMAN POST HOC QUESTIONS ON US EXCEPTION
REQUESTS

1. GERMAN DEL NOTED AT COCOM MEETING THAT ANSWERS
WERE STILL OUTSTANDING ON FOUR RECENT US CASES WHICH
THE GERMAN AUTHORITIES HAD APPROVED BUT ON WHICH QUES-
TIONS HAD STILL BEEN POSED. HE ASKED THAT QUESTIONS
BE ANSWERED AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE TO PERMIT CASE FILES
TO BE CLOSED. CASES REFERRED TO ARE:

COCOM DOC (78) 122, GERMAN DEL ASKED FOR (A) BREAKDOWN
OF TOTAL VALUE, (B) INDICATION FOR WHAT COMPUTERS THE
DISC PACKS WERE INTENDED AND THE NUMBER OF DRIVES PER
COMPUTER, (C) WHETHER SPARES TO BE SUPPLIED CORRESPOND
TO USUAL 6-MONTH REQUIREMENT, AND (D) FURTHER CLARA-
FICATION OF PARA 4 OF CASE, I.E., IF 6 MONTH SUPPLY
OF SPARES WAS INVOLVED WHY THE APPLICANT WISHED TO
EXTEND THE VALIDITY PERIOD TO TWO TO THREE YEARS (IF
A 2 OR 3 YEAR SUPPLY OF SPARES WAS REQUIRED, THEN IT
WOULD BE THE FIRST TIME THAT THE EXPORT OF SUCH A
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LARGE QUANTITY HAD BEEN REQUESTED.)

COCOM DOC (78) 125, GERMAN AUTHORITIES ASKED WHAT IS
MEANT IN PARA 2 OF INTRODUCTORY MEMORANDUM BY WORDS
"A SOVIET MADE COMPUTER CLOSELY SIMILAR TO THE PDP 8E."

COCOM DOC (78) 134, GERMAN DEL ASKED WHETHER THE TYPE

94322 CORE MEMORY MODULES PROPOSED FOR EXPORT IN COCOM
DOC (77) 173 WERE THE SAME AS THE TYPE 9432 CORE
MODULES PROPOSED FOR EXPORT IN THIS CASE.

COCOM DOC (78) 130, GERMAN DEL ASKED FOR MORE DETAILS
REGARDING THE END USE DESCRIBED IN PARA 2B OF THE
REQUEST AS "A GENERAL-PURPOSE INSTRUMENT FOR SCIENTIFIC
RESEARCH WORK."

2. ACTION REQUESTED: INSTRUCTIONS FOR RESPONDING TO
GERMAN QUESTIONS ON THESE FOUR CASES.
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